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AMENDMENTS TO LB 303

Introduced by Nebraska Retirement Systems

- 1 1. On page 4, strike beginning with the period in line 2
- 2 through "Code" in line 5; and strike lines 6 and 7 and renumber the
- 3 remaining subdivisions accordingly.
- 4 2. On page 7, strike beginning with "eligible" in line
- 5 8 through "contributions" in line 9 and insert "retirement benefit
- 6 payments"; and in line 12 strike "pension" and insert "retirement
- 7 benefit".
- 8 3. On page 8, strike beginning with "If" in line 18
- 9 through line 25 and insert "Upon the death of a member during the
- 10 DROP period, monthly benefits shall be provided as a percentage of
- 11 the amount of the member's annuity as set forth in subsection (3)
- 12 of section 81-2026 based upon the annuity benefit calculation made
- 13 at commencement of the DROP period. In addition, the balance of
- 14 the DROP account, if any, shall be provided to the beneficiary or
- 15 beneficiaries of the member or, if no beneficiary is provided, to
- 16 the estate of the member. Upon the disability of a member during
- 17 the DROP period, the member shall be deemed to have completed
- 18 the DROP period, shall begin receiving the annuity benefit as
- 19 calculated at the commencement of the DROP period, and shall be
- 20 paid the balance of the DROP account, if any;".
- 21 4. On page 9, strike line 1; strike beginning with the
- 22 period in line 3 through "Code" in line 7; and strike beginning
- 23 with the comma in line 15 through line 17 and insert "and interest

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- on such benefits;".
- 2 5. On page 10, line 2, after the period insert "The
- 3 retirement system, the state, the board, and the state investment
- 4 officer shall not be responsible for any investment results
- 5 under the DROP agreement."; in lines 5 and 6 strike "DROP
- 6 contributions,"; in line 6 strike the second comma; in line 7
- 7 strike the second "and"; and in line 10 before the period insert
- 8 "; and
- 9 (h) Cost-of-living adjustments as provided for in section
- 10 81-2027.03 shall not be applied to retirement benefits during the
- 11 <u>DROP period</u>".